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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE
BEFORE THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES**

Applicants: Ozkan et al.

Examiner: Huynh, S.

Serial No: 09/622,329

Group Art Unit: 2611

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For: A MULTIMEDIA SYSTEM FOR PROCESSING PROGRAM GUIDES AND
ASSOCIATED MULTIMEDIA OBJECTS

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APPEAL BRIEF

Applicant appeals the status of Claims 1-6, 17-22, 24, 26, and 27 as presented in response to the previous non-final Office Action mailed March 29, 2004 pursuant to the Notice of Appeal mailed November 19, 2004 and submits this appeal brief.

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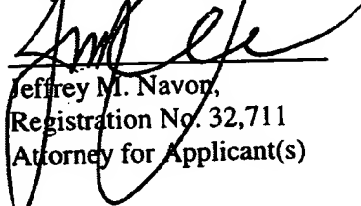
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C. **Conclusion**

At least the above-identified limitations of the pending claims are not disclosed or suggested by the teachings of the applied art references, either alone or in any combination. Accordingly, it is respectfully requested that the Board reverse the rejection of claims 1-6, 17-21, 22, 24, 26, and 27 under 35 U.S.C. §103.

It is believed that no additional fees or charges are currently due. However, in the event that any additional fees or charges are required at this time in connection with the application, they may be charged to applicant's Deposit Account No.

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☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27**TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT** (\$) 340**Complete If Known**

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1002	350	2002	170	Design filing fee	
1003	550	2003	265	Plant filing fee	
1004	790	2004	385	Reissue filing fee	
1005	160	2005	80	Provisional filing fee	

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2. EXTRA CLAIM FEES FOR UTILITY AND REISSUE

Total Claims	Extra Claims	Fee from below	Fee Paid
Independent Claims			
Multiple Dependent			

Large Entity		Small Entity		Fee Description
Fee Code	Fee (\$)	Fee Code	Fee (\$)	
1202	18	2202	9	Claims in excess of 20
1201	88	2201	43	Independent claims in excess of 3
1203	300	2203	145	Multiple dependent claim, if not paid
1204	88	2204	43	** Reissue independent claims over original patent
1205	18	2205	9	** Reissue claims in excess of 20 and over original patent

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FEE CALCULATION (continued)**3. ADDITIONAL FEES**

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1051	130	2051	65	Surcharge - late filing fee or oath	
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1053	130	1053	130	Non-English specification	
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for reexamination	
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examiner action	
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action	
1251	110	2251	55	Extension for reply within first month	
1252	430	2252	210	Extension for reply within second month	
1253	980	2253	475	Extension for reply within third month	
1254	1,530	2254	740	Extension for reply within fourth month	
1255	2,080	2255	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month	
1401	340	2401	165	Notice of Appeal	340
1402	340	2402	165	Filing a brief in support of an appeal	
1403	300	2403	145	Request for oral hearing	
1451	1,510	1451	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding	
1452	110	2452	55	Petition to revive - unavoidable	
1453	1,370	2453	665	Petition to revive - unintentional	
1501	1,370	2501	665	Utility issue fee (or reissue)	
1502	490	2502	240	Design issue fee	
1503	660	2503	320	Plant issue fee	
1460	130	1460	130	Petitions to the Director	
1807	50	1807	50	Processing fee under 37 CFR 1.17 (q)	
1806	180	1806	180	Submission of Information Disclosure Stmt	
8021	40	8021	40	Recording each patent assignment per property (times number of properties)	
1809	790	2809	385	Filing a submission after final rejection (37 CFR § 1.129(a))	
1810	790	2810	385	For each additional invention to be examined (37 CFR § 1.129(b))	
1801	790	2801	385	Request for Continued Examination (RCE)	
1802	900	1802	900	Request for expedited examination of a design application	

Other fee (specify) _____

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